



Wimborne Wagtails Autumn Newsletter 2019



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New Trustees Wanted.

At next year's AGM in May 2020, Jacqui and Alex will be resigning from their respective positions as Chairperson and Vice Chair.

Jacqui will continue as a Volunteer Swim teacher, supporting the club with running swim sessions, awards and all matters to do with swimming. As Secretary and Treasurer, Alex will continue providing essential administration and accounts support.

This means the Committee has vacancies for 2 new Trustees, Chairperson and Vice Chair. If you would like to put yourself forward for either role or know of anyone who would be interested, please contact any of the current Committee.

Photo Competition—Volunteering Dorset



Congratulations to Ros and Rita—their photo won us second prize and will later appear in a calendar promoting volunteers in Dorset. Thanks to David Faulder for taking the photo.

The winning prize of a studio sitting and portrait worth £100 from AT Studios in Dorchester will be raffled and drawn at Bentleys. Tickets will be available on Saturdays so please buy some. All proceeds to Wagtails.

Important news - please read carefully. The Trustees are available to answer any queries.

- From 1st January 2020, for Saturday sessions only, Wagtails will be hiring the pool privately from Q.E. Leisure Centre for 46 weeks of the year. This means the Club will have a secure contract with Q.E. to protect the session, the pool will be for the exclusive use of members, which gives more scope to develop supported sessions and activities. It also means we no longer need to use swim passes.
- From 31st December 2019 swim passes will be discontinued.
- From 1st January to 31st March 2020, Wagtails Saturday swim sessions will be **free** for all members.
- From 1st April 2020, annual membership will be £12 per adult and £6 per child. Membership benefits include help in the pool from qualified teachers and the chance to take part in swim galas, hydrotherapy sessions and various social and fundraising events.
- From 1st April 2020 we will be introducing a new **Pay Monthly** charge for swim members using the Saturday sessions. Membership and swim fees will be combined into a monthly fee. This offers good value and for ease, swim members will be asked to set up a monthly standing order to the club, which they can cancel at any time. Membership renewal forms will not be required anymore. Swimmers already paying by monthly standing order need not change anything and will be refunded for January—March 2020 payments (£15).
- A **Pay As You Swim (PAYS)** option will still be available but annual membership will be required in advance.
- Non-swimming members will continue to pay their membership annually in advance, due 1st April or a year after they first join.
- Please note that the disabled swim session on Monday and on bank holiday weekends will no longer be included in Wagtail's membership. Members accessing that session will need to pay Q.E. at the desk.

Charges from 1st April 2020			
Tariff	Swim	Membership	Payment terms
Adult Swim Pay Monthly	£4.00	£1.00	£5.00 by standing order to Wimborne Wagtails
Child Swim Pay Monthly	£4.00	£0.50	£4.50 by standing order to Wimborne Wagtails
Adult Swim PAYS	£2.00*	£12.00 p.a.	*Cash to Meet & Greet. Annual membership applies.
Child Swim PAYS	£2.00*	£6.00 p.a.	*Cash to Meet & Greet. Annual membership applies
Non—swim member	N/A	£12.00	Annual membership due 1st April.or a year after first joining

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Sherborne and Plymouth Galas



The super six travelled to Plymouth at the end of July. We had a small team compared to the other clubs but were not far behind them in points scored. Steve D was star of the day. He was at work from 7-9am before joining us at 9.30 when we set off. He then won 4 gold medals ! Jack and Sam each won 3 golds and a silver. The women (Hayley, Sarah and Amy) were not quite as successful but all won medals and swam well. It was a fine team effort!

Another fine performance at Sherborne by the wagtails team, only missing out on the team trophy by 7 points. Well done Robbie who had no time to prepare and was swimming his first race as soon as he got poolside. Everyone won two or more medals so it was a real team effort. Well done to Sarah, Hayley, Robbie, Laura, Amy, Sam, Jack, Jemma and Lucy.



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Swimming News

NEW SWIM SESSION TIMES FROM JAN 20

11.15 - 12.00 Recreation/Rehabilitation/
swim and stroke technique

12.00 - 12.15 Fun time

12.15 - 1.00 Lanes

Fundraising News

Bournemouth Marathon Water Station



£210 was raised at this event—thanks to Alex for organising and Ros, Hayley, Greg, Sarah and Laura for helping on the day.

Forthcoming Events 2019

Wimborne Rotary Santa Fun Run

Saturday 7th December 2019
around Wimborne town 10-1
Contact Alex for details

Bentley's Christmas Lunch

Saturday 14th December 2019
Members £25, Non Members £29
Contact Keith— orders needed by 16th Nov

Panto Tivoli Jack & the Beanstalk

Saturday 4th January 2020 2pm
Contact Liz B